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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant submits herewith on PTO-Form 1449, a supplemental listing of a Reference with a copy enclosed. This reference supplements the list of references provided in the first Information Disclosure Statement, as submitted on September 30, 2003, for the above-referenced U.S. application, Serial No. 10/675,767.

This reference is in Japanese and no translation is available to applicant, however, an English language abstract is included to satisfy the requirement for a statement of relevance. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action, as set forth in 37 CFR 1.97 (b).

It is respectfully requested that this art be considered by the Examiner in the above-identified application and made of record therein.

Respectfully submitted,



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